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TAGS: ETEL, NO; FR

SUBJECT:INMARSAT

REF: STATE 1874 (NOT SENT TO PARIS)

1. INMARSAT PREPARATORY COMMITTEE AT ITS JANUARY 1977 MEETING CREATED THREE PANELS TO STUDY VARIOUS QUESTIONS RELATING TO PROPOSED SATELLITE SYSTEM AND THE ORGANIZATION TO MANAGE THE SYSTEM. THE CHAIRMAN OF THE ECONOMICS, MARKETING AND FINANCIAL PANEL IS MR. T. KNUTSEN, TKP, NORWEGIAN TELECOMMUNICATIONS ADMINISTRATION, UNIVERSITETS-GATA 2, OSLO (TELEPHONE 02-48-85-13).

2. PLEASE INFORM MR. KNUTSEN THAT UNITED STATES WILL ATTEND MEETING OF ECONOMIC PANEL MAY 9-13 IN PARIS AND ADVISE HIM OF COMPOSITION OF DELEGATION. SPOKESMAN WILL BE WLADIMIR NALESZKIEWICZ (OFFICE OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS POLICY, UNCLASSIFIED

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EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT). HE WILL BE ASSISTED BY VICTOR CRANMER (AMERICAN TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH CO.), SAUL SCHADOFF (RCA GLOBAL COMMUNICATIONS) AND EDWARD SLACK (COMSAT GENERAL CORPORATION), AS ADVISORS.

3. MEETING WILL BE HELD AT THE INVITATION OF THE EUROPEAN SPACE AGENCY AT ITS HEADQUARTERS, 8-10 RUE MARIO NIKIS,

75738 PARIS CEDEX 15.

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